

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For:	ASSAY AND COMPOSITIONS)	Docket No.:	GP141-03.UT
	FOR DETECTION OF BACILLUS)		
	ANTHRACIS NUCLEIC ACIDS)		

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the electronically delivered Office action dated June 21, 2007, Applicants amend the application as shown herein and request reconsideration of the application. This amendment is being filed within two months of issuance of a final rejection.